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FOR MATLOCK FROM GARRISON

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OGEN

SUBJECT: OFFICIAL-INFORMAL

1. JOEL BILLER OF EB SENT A LETTER TO BAKKE ASKING FOR INFORMATION ON HIS TRIP TO THE USSR. BAKKE ANSWERED IN A LETTER DATED MARCH 30 SAYING HE HAD BEEN INVITED BY GUZHENKO "TO CONTINUE DISCUSSIONS BEGUN LAST JULY CONCERNING PARTICIPATION BY SOVIET CARRIERS IN THE US OCEAN LINER TRADES. DURING THIS ROUND OF TALKS, I INTEND TO DISCUSS THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF CURRENT SOVIET PARTICIPATION IN THE US OCEAN LINER TRADES, ACTIONS TAKEN AND TO BE TAKEN CONCERNING CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP OF SOVIET CARRIERS IN THE US OCEAN TRADES, AND PROGRESS TO DATE OF THE COMMISSION'S EFFORTS TO ELIMINATE MALPRACTICES IN OUR TRADES." BESIDES MEETING WITH GUZHENKO, BAKKE EXPECTS TO MEET WITH AVERIN, YUNITSYN, AND MASLOV. WE HOPE TO HAVE A FURTHER CABLE ON THE BAKKE VISIT OUT TO YOU ON MONDAY.

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